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In the claims

Please amend the claims as shown below and in marked-up fashion on the attached sheets pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.121(c)(3).

1. A method for providing images to a user, comprising:  
in response to a user request for one or more images,  
determining available user color display device characterization data; and  
causing one or more images having color characteristics appropriate to determined user color display device characterization data to be provided to the user.
2. The method of claim 1, further comprising after determining that user color display device characterization data is available:  
displaying to the user a first icon on the display device.
3. The method of claim 1, further comprising after determining that user color display device characterization data is not available:  
displaying to the user a second icon on the display device.
6. The method of claim 4 or claim 5, wherein color correcting the one or more images comprises:  
color correcting the one or more images in accordance with the display device characterization data of the user.
7. The method of claim 4 or claim 5, wherein color correcting the one or more images comprises:

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color correcting the one or more images in accordance with a predetermined set of display device color characterization parameters.

10. The method of claim 9, wherein determining user characterization data comprises:

providing information from the client to the server to determine user color display device characterization data.

13. The method of claim 11, wherein the cookie contains the user color display device characterization data.

14. The method of claim 12, further comprising:

retrieving from a database the user color display device characterization data in accordance with the user identification.

15. A system for providing images to a user, comprising:

a data provider for determining available user color display device characterization data in response to a user request for one or more images; and

an image provider for causing one or more images having color characteristics appropriate to determined user color display device characterization data to be provided to the user.

16. The system of claim 15, wherein the image provider comprises:

an image provider for displaying a first icon to the user if user color display device characterization data is available.

17. The system of claim 15, wherein the image provider comprises:

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an image provider for displaying a second icon to the user if user color display device characterization data is not available.

19. The system of claim 18, wherein the image provider comprises:

an image provider for color correcting the one or more images in accordance with the color display device characterization data of the user.

21. The system of claim 20, wherein the image provider comprises:

an image provider for selecting the one or more images in accordance with the color display device characterization data of the user.

22. The system of claim 15, wherein the image provider comprises:

an image provider for color correcting the one or more images in accordance with a predetermined set of color display device characterization parameters.

23. The system of claim 20, wherein the image provider comprises:

an image provider for selecting the one or more images in accordance with a predetermined set of color display device characterization parameters.

27. The system of claim 26, wherein the server comprises:

a server for receiving information from the client to determine user color display device characterization data.

31. The system of claim 29, further comprising: